



The Celebration of Worship

May 22 & 23
Pentecost Sunday

Before worship, talk to God. During worship, let God talk to you.
After worship, talk to your fellow worshiper.

Gathering

Gathering Music	Time for Prayer and Meditation
Welcome	Pastor Dan Hansen
Opening Hymn	“Wake Up”
Apostolic Greeting and Confession	
Song of Praise	“Beautiful One”
Prayer of the Day	

Word

First Lesson	Genesis 11:1-9 p.17
Psalm	104:24-35 p. 854
Second Lesson	Acts 2:1-8, 17-21 p. 1562
† Gospel Verse	“Prayer to the Holy Spirit”
The Holy Gospel	John 14:8-17 p. 1547
Hand of Peace	We invite you to learn new names.
† Children’s Message	Wanda Gwinn
Sermon	Pastor Dan Hansen
Hymn of Response	“Spirit of Gentleness”
Statement of Faith	“The Apostles Creed”

Worshippers are invited to share their prayers out loud.

† Tithes & Offerings	
† Offertory	
Prayers	

8:00am, 9:30am	Amy Lynn on piano	“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”
11:00am	Adult Choir	“Lay Up Your Treasures” “We are an Offering”

Meal

Words of Institution	The Lord’s Prayer
Sacrament of Holy Communion	Anointing with Oil
Gluten-free wafers are available. Please mention your need as you approach the communion servers. Red wine and white grape juice are consecrated for Sunday services. Only red grape juice provided at Saturday service. “It is Well with My Soul,” “Breathe,” “Hungry,” “Spirit of the Living God,” “Wonderful, Merciful Savior”	

Sending

Post-Communion Blessing	Prayer of Thanksgiving
Closing Hymn	“Every Time I Feel the Spirit”
Dismissal	“Go in peace; serve the Lord. Thanks be to God”
† Sunday only	

Welcome, Guests!

We are grateful that you have remembered the Sabbath to keep it holy.

We believe the Lord led you here.

We welcome little children as we worship! In respect for others, you may bring your child(ren) to our well equipped, staffed nursery during the service. Our speaker system provides excellent audio of the service in the Narthex and nursery. —Thank you.

Here at Faith Community Lutheran...we almost always follow the traditional order of worship familiar to most Lutherans, but usually our services are a “blend” of old and new music. As Lutherans, we view ourselves as a church of “Word & Sacrament.” Therefore, “God’s Word” is held in high esteem as we follow the Scripture readings and the sermon with our Bibles open.

FCLC is among a growing number of Lutheran Churches committed to celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion every week, including the baptized of all ages. As we begin our worship, all are invited to “examine themselves” (1 Cor.11:28) during the Confession as we prepare to receive the Word and Holy Communion. Children of all ages may receive the sacrament! However, if parents prefer, small children may receive a grape given with the words, “Welcome to the Lord’s Table.”

As we are anointed with oil at Holy Communion today, we are reminded that we are all in need of healing in one way or another. Sometimes, it’s our bodies that need healing; sometimes it’s our feelings that are hurt; sometimes it’s our thinking that needs healing; sometimes it’s a relationship that is hurting; sometimes it’s our faith in God that needs healing. If you wish to share a prayer concern with us at that time, you are more than welcome.

Prayer Concerns

Let us know how we can pray for you. Call the office: 303-776-8771.

- Please note that **BLUE** indicates a new prayer request or a change in one.
- † Bob & Sharon Kaiser - Bob’s mother, Millie Burger, passed away in the early morning of May 19.
 - † Bob Rocho - Awaiting test results to rule out cancer.
 - † Mark Flowers - undergoing angiogram on May 21. Pray for good results, and peace while awaiting results.
 - † Alice Turner - involved in car accident on May 14.
 - † John & Nancy Benson - On the passing of Nancy’s brother-in-law on May 9; prayers for peace for her sister, Jill.
 - † Roger Rankin - Hospitalized with pneumonia; peace for Irene and the rest of their family.
 - † Becca Mau - Healing on knee injury suffered in basketball game last weekend.
 - † Dan & Stephanie Spencer - On the death of Stephanie’s mother on May 4.
 - † Bob Neb - Rehabilitating at Swedish Medical Center after suffering a stroke on May 5.
 - † For those in our FCLC family - who have lost jobs.
 - † Jon Prout, Eric Smith, Zack Morton, Brandon Lockwood, Ian McCormick, Matthew Parker, Jared Adams, Chris Hassa, Robb Kammerzell, Brent Davis, Ryan Moore, Ramee Opperrude, Kanit Dararutana, Vince Schoeninger: FCLC members and relatives of members in US military forces: for God’s protection; strength for body, mind, soul.
 - † Matt Brents—in Iraq on another one-year civilian contract: for his safety and God’s peace.



- The following families who are battling cancer and its effects:
- † Shirley Johnson - diagnosed with cancer in her remaining kidney.
 - † Alicia Stover - Her mother, Suzy, in advanced stages of AML. Peace for Alicia, Suzy, and her father, Tommy.
 - † Judy Heller - Prayer of thanksgiving for good report on recent PET scan, lengthening time between chemo treatments.
 - † Kirsten Simpson - her dad, Pete Beckett, diagnosed with non-Hodgkin’s lymphoma; chemo treatments Fort Collins.
 - † LaRae Schaff—her dad is still battling bone cancer.
 - † Jeff & Kim Bonds family—Jeff’s brother, Jerry, battling Multiple Myeloma.

~~Prayer-chain—If you would like to join the prayer-chain or if you have a prayer request, please contact us at prayer-chain@fclc.org. You must subscribe to the prayer-chain before you can post your own prayer requests.~~
If you do not belong to the prayer-chain and have a prayer concern, please call the church office: 303-776-8771 or Marsha Tollefson: 303-651-2354; your prayer request will be posted.

Sunday, May 23

8:00 AM WORSHIP

9:30 AM WORSHIP

9:30 AM No Sunday School

11:00 AM WORSHIP

12:15 PM - 1:00 PM 30th Anniversary Commte

Monday, May 24

9:30 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry

11:00 AM Funeral Service - Millie Burger

7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Weavers of the Cloth

Tuesday, May 25

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM Men's "Exodus" Study

9:30 AM - 11:30 AM Knitters & Crocheters

1:15 PM - 1:30 PM Staff Prayer

1:30 PM - 3:00 PM Staff Breakout Meetings

3:00 PM - 3:30 PM Staff Leadership Meeting

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Just Rejoice!

Wednesday, May 26

8:30 AM - 11:00 AM Library Book Shelving

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM Fire Up - MS/HS

7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Men's Evening Bible Study

Thursday, May 27

9:30 AM - 11:00 AM Women's Bible Study

9:30 AM - 11:00 AM Women's "John" Study

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Leap of Faith Rehrsl.

7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Discernment Meeting

7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Worship Team Rehearsal

Friday, May 28

Saturday, May 29

5:00 PM - 5:30 PM Worship "Pray & Prep"

5:30 PM - 6:15 PM WORSHIP

6:15 PM - 7:30 PM Bethany Prayer Watch

Sunday, May 30

8:00 AM WORSHIP

9:30 AM - 10:30 AM No Sunday School

9:30 AM WORSHIP

11:00 AM WORSHIP - Senior Recognition

Summer Schedule

FCLC's summer worship schedule begins June 6th!

Please join us for worship this summer at the following times:

Saturday at 5:30 pm

Sunday at 8:00am, and 11:00am.

Don't forget to join us for our *Sumer of Gifts* Sunday School and Adult Bible Classes, Sunday mornings at 9:30.

****Pick up a course catalog at the Welcome Center!****

Father Son Retreat

Father's Day Weekend

Cost:

Special \$100 registration fee for active FCLC members and their family guests.

To Register:

email Brit at brit@fclc.org or call 303-776-8771

Registration for this event ends May 30th or when all the spaces are filled. So don't wait to get signed up for a life-changing weekend!

Vacation Bible School Registration

June 7th - 11th, 9:00 AM - 12:00 noon.



Pre-school is FULL. (Waiting List available)
Only 10 Kindergarten—5th grade slots left

Contact nanette@fclc.org or 303-772-6269 if you would still like to register or be put on the preschool wait list.

FCLC is Celebrating its

30th Anniversary!

August 14th and 15th

A special recognition luncheon for our senior members (70 years and up) provided on Saturday, August 14th and a churchwide outdoor picnic will be held after the late service on the 15th.

Please mark this weekend on your calendars and help us celebrate 30 wonderful years of Faith Community Lutheran!

Please RSVP to office@fclc.org, or call 303-776-8771 by May 28th.

Pastors Rev. Dr. Vaughn & Saundra Huckfeldt will conduct an information meeting on the GODS project at 3:00pm today in the Sunset Room. Details available after service in the Narthex.

Worship Services

Saturday 5:30 PM

Sunday 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM

Christian Education

Sunday School for all ages — 9:30 AM-10:30 AM

Office Hours

Monday - Friday 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

(Closed 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM)

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Pentecost Weekend

May 22 & 23, 2010

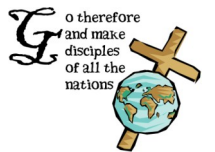
Day of Pentecost

Pentecost represents Jesus' return via the Holy Spirit, for Jesus had promised the apostles: "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father and He will give you another Advocate to be with you forever." This advocate is the Holy Spirit. On the day of Pentecost, the Holy Spirit came upon the apostles, demonstrated by each of them speaking in tongues previously unknown to them. Peter had to convince the Jews in Judea and in Jerusalem who witnessed this occurrence that they were not drunk, (especially since it was only 9:00 in the morning), but that it was as the prophet Joel had foretold: *"In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh and your sons and your daughters... Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved"*. (Acts 2:17-21)

It has been said that Peter's Pentecost speech was the start of the Christian witness that was promised in Acts 1:8: *"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."* Even today, witnessing is a spiritual tool to spread the Word on how the Holy Spirit is alive within many of us on a daily basis: from the birth of a child, to conquering diseases, to overcoming our personal "demons" and internal conflicts.

I have heard that it is not uncommon among the believers of Christ Jesus to truly experience the Holy Spirit. To those who open their hearts, souls and minds to the Lord, the desire for truth, compassion and forgiveness are also combined with His blessing of kindness, patience and love. I personally have been moved to tears during a particular song or sermon during an FCLC service. The pastor, choir, lay ministers and even the congregation provide such a divine pathway for the Holy Spirit. There are many times I feel I am filled, even encapsulated, by the Spirit of the Lord. I am one of the fortunate ones, confident that the Holy Spirit has been flowing through the many pathways in my being. I can only fall down on my knees, and thank the Lord Jesus Christ for touching my life with His spirit, the **Holy Spirit**. May you also feel that beauty, joy, peace and comfort in your heart this Pentecost Sunday. Praise the Lord and bless His holy name!

~Phyllis Cromwell



Scriptures for next weekend, May 29 & 30, 2010:

First Lesson: Proverbs 8:22-31

Psalm 8

Second Lesson: Romans 5:1-5

Holy Gospel: John 16:12-15

Altar Flowers this weekend are. Provided by:
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